

Shipping.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
To follow the "Mary."
The 1st American Clipper-ship
"ELIZABETH,"
1812 Tons Register, Captain
BROWN, will have early de-
part for the above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 12, 1869. jun12

FOR SYDNEY.
The Dutch Barque
"CONSTANTINE,"
Capt. Smeets, will have quick
despatch for the above Port.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The British ship
"MARY,"
Capt. Townsend, will have
quick despatch for the above
port.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE.
The First-class French brig
"EMMA,"
Capt. Ellis, will have quick de-
part for the above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
FREDERICK DEGENAER.
Hongkong, May 29, 1869.

FOR MANILA.
The Spanish barque
"SANTA ANA,"
Capt. GAVRO, Master, will meet with
quick despatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
FREDERICK DEGENAER & Co.
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.
The American barque
"A. W. STEVENS,"
will load here and Whampoa
for New York and have de-
part for the above port.
For Freight, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The American ship
"MALAY,"
will have quick despatch for the
above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, May 7, 1869. jun18

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE.
"PAREJERO" Capt. KING, FROM
LIVERPOOL.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are hereby requested to
send in their Bills of Lading to the Un-
derigned for countersignature, and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
vessel will be landed and stored at Con-
signees' risk and expense.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

"SAMUEL RUSSELL" FROM
NEW YORK.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Underigned
for countersignature, and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge
will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

"STE. GERMAINE" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Underigned
for countersignature, and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge
will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

"COLUMBUS" FROM GLASGOW.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Underigned
for countersignature, and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
vessel will be landed and stored at Con-
signees' risk and expense.
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

PBR "OHUSAN" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by above-named
vessel are requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the Underigned for
countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-
sel will be landed and stored at consignees'
risk and expense.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, June 11, 1869. if

N. G. BARQUE "STEPHANIE" CAP-
TAIN H. SCHUTTE, FROM
CARDIFF.
CONSIGNMENT of COALS by the above-
named Vessel are requested to com-
municate with the Underigned agents of
the vessel.
MELUERS & Co.
Hongkong, June 12, 1869. 19jun

NOTICE.
The following cases have been landed
and stored at the risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
immediate delivery.
22 "Cambridge," 22 February, 1869.
OFC 10985. 1 case Chondria.
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo per Company's
Steam-ship "Tigre," are request-
ed to send in their Bills of Lading, for
countersignature, and to take delivery of
their Goods before the 1st of June, or they
will be landed and stored at their risk and
expense.
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

Notices to Consignees.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "JAPAN"
FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN
FRANCISCO.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Underigned
for countersignature, and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-
sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.
GEO. E. LANE,
Agent.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869. jun19

OCEAN QUEEN, STEAMER, FROM
GLASGOW.
CONSIGNMENT of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Underigned
for countersignature, and to take im-
mediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the
above steamer, will be landed and stored at
Consignees' risk and expense.
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

M. R. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author-
ized to sign our Firm per Procuration
from this date.
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.
Hongkong, June 15, 1869.

THE Underigned has established himself
as a General Attorney, and Com-
mission Agent on the Ground-floor of the
Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GIBBS
& Co.
J. M. GUEDES, Jr.
Hongkong, June 6, 1869.

THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-
chow, will be carried on from and
after this date under the style and firm of
KINNEAR, LAKEIN & Co.
The partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM
BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LAN-
CASTER LAKEIN.
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.
Foochow, May 1, 1869. if

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a
Public Accountant, AVERAGE AD-
JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.
C. LANGDON DAVIES.
Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

R. M. this date, Mr GEORGE E. LANE,
will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail
Steamship Company at this port.
GEO. E. LANE.
Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and
Osaka, as Commission Merchant and
GENERAL AGENT.
HENRY LUCAS.
Hongkong, April 16, 1869. if

NOTICE.
WE have this day admitted Mr BENJA-
MIN E. GALL, as a partner in our
Firm.
FAWCETT & Co.
Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

NOTICE.
MR D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm,
and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and
Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners
from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, January 1, 1869. jun12

NOTICE.
MR. JOHN FARMAN and Mr. JOHN
SAMUEL COX, will sign our firm per
procuration from this date.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, April 15, 1869. jun15

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr
WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased
on the 30th June last.
Mr TOBIAS PIM, Mr WILLIAM NISBET
OLMISTED and Mr H. SKYMOUR GEARY are
authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong
and China from this date.
OLYMPIANT & Co.
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL.
FROM this date the Management of the
Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge
of Mr GEORGE E. FORTE, to whom all com-
munications should be addressed.
YEE-WO & Co.
Hongkong Hotel,
April 1, 1869. if

DOCKS.
THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF
HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.
THE Company call the attention of Ship
Owners, Consignees and Masters of
Vessels, to their Establishment at Hong-
kong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING
and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes,
and everything necessary for the
Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.
The Company have also opened a Ship-
yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock,
and are ready to contract for the construction
of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any
size.
At Whampoa the Company will take
Ships at reduced rates.
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"
can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or
berth them, at reasonable rates.
For particulars, apply to
ROB. S. WALKER,
Secretary.
Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner
of Ice House Lane.
Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

For Sale.

FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.
Bales of Fresh Californian OAT
HAY.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

FOR SALE.
DRAUGHT ALE & PORTER in Hhds.
Apply to
ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

To arrive per steamer "Aja" and For Sale.
BENAY'S CENTRIFUGAL PUMP.
To pump 360,000 gallons per hour
with 18 inch Section and Delivery. Price
\$1,250.
S. SPEECHLY.
Hongkong, June 8, 1869. if

FOR SALE.
BITTER BEER in Hogsheads.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, May 22, 1869.

Ex "Mary Nicholson" and "Kaisow."
HUBBOK'S PAINTS, OIL, and TUR-
PENTINE.
Bass' ALE in Quarts and Pints.
Guinness's STOUT, in Quarts and Pints.
CLARET, YEALMOUTH, SHERRY.
To arrive per "Chusan."
Bass' ALE, in Kilderkins.
MACWEN & Co.
Hongkong, May 29, 1869. jun29

HAMS, CHEESE, and OILMAN'S
STORES.
Ex "Douglas Castle."
MACWEN & Co. have just landed
from the above vessel—
A choice invoice of Pale and Smoked
York HAMS, Prime Cheddar CHEESE, in
tins, and Breakfast BACON, in tins.
Also, Cress and Blackwell's mixed
PICKLES, Cap. White's Oriental PICKLE,
and a general assortment of the finest OIL-
MAN'S STORES for family use.
13, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, May 28, 1869. jun20

EX FALCON AND ZIBA,
NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.
ONGLOTH SHIRTS with Linen
Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk
UNDER-SHIRTS, Linen and Paper COL-
LARS, White, Brown and Striped Thread
and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and
SCARFS, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS,
Straw HATS, Willow HATS, LAMBS' SKIN
HATS, UMBRELLAS, Muslin VESTS,
Trowsers, DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA,
French MERINO and FINE MATS.
Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and
Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Mus-
lin and other DRESSSES, Printed French
CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cot-
ton HOSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed
GLOVES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIB-
BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER-
DASHERY, &c.
Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS,
SHEETINGS, and COUNTERPANES,
Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars
and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table
LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS,
Longcloth and Irish LINENS, STATO-
NERIES of all kinds, PERFUMERY,
BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Child-
ren's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.
S. W. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

FOR SALE.
At the Victoria Foundry, The Manches-
ter Patent Powerful Hand FIRE
PUMP, with 20 feet of HOSE; will throw
the water 45 feet high, can be kept in the
Bed-room, Parlour or any other part, ready
for immediate use.
Hongkong, May 18, 1869. jun18

FOR SALE.
THE following Properties belonging to
the Estate of David & Co.
At Hankow.—The Property at present
occupied by Messrs EVANS & RAINBOW,
consisting of a Dwelling House, with Ser-
vants' Offices and Stables and three Go-
downs each 150 feet by 60.
The situation of this Property outside
the British concession, its river frontage of
320 feet and extensive Godown accommo-
dation makes it one of the most valuable at
Hankow especially for steam-boat purposes.
At Kiangning.—Four Lots on the British
Concession with a frontage of 232 feet on
the river bank. The buildings consist of
a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices,
and two Godowns 100 feet by 60 and 105
feet by 66 on the front Lots, and of a Go-
down 155 feet by 66 feet on the back Lot.
For further particulars, apply at the Of-
fice of the Trustees.
No. 7, Pedder's Hill,
H. P. HANSEN,
Shanghai.

FOR SALE.
Just landed ex M. T. "Imperial."
CLARETS: Chateau, Lafitte, Larose,
Palmier, Alsai,
St. George, St. Julien,
Margaux, St. Emilion.
WHITE WINES: Haut-Sauterne, Cha-
blais, MADEIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUS-
CAT, MUSCAT, &c., &c.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1869. if

FOR SALE.
BEST Cavite CHEROOTS and CIGARS.
B. MANILA CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4
and 5.
BIRFIELD & ZACHARIE.
Hongkong, June 1, 1869. jun18

FOR SALE.
A FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for
prize shooting, both breech and muzzle
loaders, regulation bores.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1869. if

BROWN, JONES & Co.,
UNDERWRITERS.
MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES
ERECTED, in the Best Style.
LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on
the Shortest Notice.
Apply at
Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

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rates, from English, French, Spanish,
Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi-
nese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-
dress,
The "China Mail" Office,
2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

New Advertisements.

THE SALE of Messrs Thos. Hunt &
Co.'s STOCK will be continued
TO-MORROW, the 18th Instant, at 11
o'clock A.M.
The Wines will be sold at 2 o'clock
P.M.
The Cattle, Horse and Cargo Boats
at 3 P.M. After which the Office Fur-
niture.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, June 17, 1869. jun18

PUBLIC AUCTION.
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. have
received instructions to sell by
Public Auction, on
MONDAY,
June 21st, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at Messrs
MILLER & CLAUSSON'S Premises, Queen's
Road Central,—
The whole of their Household FUR-
NITURE, comprising: European made
Drawing Room Suite, Walnut Wood
and Morocco, Chiffonier, Centre Table,
Mirrors, Piano, Pictures, Engravings,
etc., etc., Dining and Bed Room Fur-
niture, Crockery and Glass Ware, Plated
Ware, and Cutlery; Etc., Etc., Etc.
TERMS of SALE.—Cash on delivery in
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, June 17, 1869. jun21

PUBLIC AUCTION.
FESEFELD & Co. will sell by Public
Auction (unless previously disposed
of by private contract), on
TUESDAY,
the 22nd instant, at 4 o'clock P.M.,—
A piece or parcel of GROUND situ-
ated at Sowkwan. Annual Crown
Rent, £2.0.10.
For further particulars, apply to the
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, June 17, 1869. 22jun

NEITHER Captain nor Owner of the
Austrian Ship "CLEOPATRA" keep
themselves responsible for any debts con-
tracted by the crew of the said Vessel,
excepting the first Officer.
G. DRUKOVICH,
Master of the Austrian Ship
"Cleopatra."
Hongkong, June 17, 1869. 24jun

EX "CHUSAN."
OSLER'S GLASSWARE.
Dawson's BOOTS.
Dog COLLARS.
Mosaic and HANDLED STICKS.
STATIONERY.
CUTLERY.
WINSTON AND NEWTON'S Artist's
Materials, such as Lead and colored Chalk
PENCILS, moist and 1 moist COLOURS
and TUBES assorted, Lake COLOURS,
separately and in Boxes, Sketch BOOKS
and BLOCKS, Table, Swan, and Varnish
BRUSHES, Oak STRIPERS and MOT-
TLED, Presentation BOXES of Paints,
PENCILS, Mathematical INSTRUMENTS,
CRYSTAL, Gold and Silver, Colored HEADS
and LANDSCAPES, Tinted Drawing PA-
PER and BOOKS, LESSONS on THALES,
STUDIES from the Old Masters in the
Louvre Collection assorted, &c., &c., &c.

EX "SAMUEL RUSSELL."
BOTTLES, BOTTLES.
BOTTLES.
LETTER FILES.
PERAMBULATORS.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, June 17, 1869. jun24

NOTICE.
MR. SILAS MEYER MOSES has been ad-
mitted a Partner in our Firm from
1st January 1869.
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Shanghai, June 10, 1869. jun12

MESSRS. KOSK & Co.
EG to inform the public of Hongkong
that they had established themselves
as TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS,
on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs
LANDAU, ORLE & Co.
Having secured the services of an ex-
perienced European Cutter, and also having
received per late arrivals a very superior
stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pa-
terns, they are prepared to meet all the re-
quirements of the present season.
A large stock of Ready-made CLOTH-
ING, of the latest Fashions, always on
hand.

FOR SALE.
Just landed ex M. T. "Imperial."
CLARETS: Chateau, Lafitte, Larose,
Palmier, Alsai,
St. George, St. Julien,
Margaux, St. Emilion.
WHITE WINES: Haut-Sauterne, Cha-
blais, MADEIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUS-
CAT, MUSCAT, &c., &c.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1869. if

FOR SALE.
A FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for
prize shooting, both breech and muzzle
loaders, regulation bores.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
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New Advertisements.

FAWCETT & Co.,
SHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL
STOREKEEPERS,
WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS,
SAIL MAKERS,
AND
COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wyndham Street, Hongkong.
Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

E. B. HANDLEY,
(LATE PATRICKSON & HANDLEY),
House and Ship Plumber,
Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and
Gas Fitter,
10, Queen's Road West.
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

FESEFELD & Co.,
AUCTIONEERS,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND
GENERAL AGENTS,
QUEEN'S ROAD,
Next Door to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY,"
Hongkong, May 1, 1869. aug1

GEORGE GLASSE,
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO)
KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY
LONDON, AND 28, PLACE
VENOISE, PARIS)
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN
CHEMIST
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED & REFITTED.
Hongkong, May 1, 1869. if

BOARD and RESIDENCE at No. 5,
BONHAM ROAD, W. Good Accommo-
dation.
Apply at
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, January 29, 1869. to

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE.
HE Fortnightly Market Circulars pub-
lished by the CHAMBER, will in future
be deliverable from the Office of the Under-
signed from 10 A.M. of the morning preced-
ing the steamer's departure. The Circulars
are at the disposal of new Members, on ap-
plication to the Secretary, who will furnish
particulars of cost, &c.
J. W. WOOD,
Secretary.
Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS.
Is published in London for the L. & C.
Co.'s and French Mail, and contains a
Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and
Foreign News.
Special Correspondents' Letters from
Germany, Holland, &c.
Leading Articles on the principal inter-
ests of China.
Digest of Home Opinions on China Sub-
jects.
List of Passengers by the current and
succeeding Mails.
Naval and Military News.
Births, Marriages, and Deaths.
Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c.
Market Reports, Shipping News, Freight
Exchanges, &c., from London and
the Continent, New York, &c.
Statistics of Imports and Exports.
Supplement.
Statement of each Ship's Cargo for
China and Japan, and by the P. and
O. Mail.
Subscription—£12 per Annum. With
Extra Supplement, £14.50. Single Copies,
50 cents.

MORRIS & Co.,
Agents, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

NOTICE.
RENTS and ACCOUNTS COLLECTED with
punctuality and despatch.
And
DISTRAINT WARRANTS or Rent IS-
SUES and EXECUTED.
Security, if required.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, Wyndham Street,
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.
June 17, Asiatic, British ship, 1150,
Andrew, Singapore and Hainan, June 5,
and 15, Timber.—BORNEO COMPANY.
June 17, China, N. German steamer,
642, Winter, Shanghai, June 13, General.
—SIEMSEN & Co.

CLEARED.
Lighting, for Calcutta.
PASSENGERS.
DEPARTED.—Per "Tigre," For Marseilles,
Messrs Donato Valdes, Constant Lasana, V.
Lopez Pinto y Martin, P. D. Gresspugues,
L. T. Rodrigo y Follip, P. Willaert, For
Singapore, Mr H. S. French, Rev. Father
Osnof. For Saigon, Mr and Mrs. L. Hau-
schild and infant with nurse and boy, and
28 Chinese.
The following European passengers left
this for Canton yesterday:
Captain and Mrs. Hallows, &c.
The following European passenger ar-
rived here from Canton this afternoon:
Mr Winkel Smith.

SHIPPING REPORTS.
The N. German steamer China, Captain
Winter, from Shanghai, reports fine wea-
ther and strong S.W. wind all the passage
to Hongkong. Passed the steamer Suco-
nada off Outfitted Island, bound in on 15th
instant.

CAHGOES.
Per Feb. Mail str. "Tigre," for Suez, &c.—
221 bales Silk.
800 boxes Tea.
2372 packages Sundries.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:
For MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.—
Per "UNION" at 11 A.M. on Saturday,
the 19th Instant.

UNDER DESPATCH.
For Melbourne and Sydney.—Per Union,
on Saturday, the 19th instant.

UNDER DESPATCH.
For Melbourne and Sydney.—Per Union,
on Saturday, the 19th instant.

QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 17th June, 1869.
OPTUM.—Patna, New, ... 567 1/2
Old, ... 565
Benares, New, ... 560
Old, ... 550 nom.
Malwa, ... 635
Persian, ... 565 nom.
COTTON.—BOMBAY, ... 17 1/2 a 21
CALCUTTA, ... 17 1/2 a 23 1/2
SHANGHAI,

Exchange.
Bank, 6 months' sight, ... 4 1/2 nom.
Credit, 6 ... 4 1/2
in Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 23 1/2
Bomby, 3 days' sight, Rs. 23 1/2
Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tia. 76
Silver, 17 dwts. 15, ... 5 nom.
Sycee, ... 2.50 a 3.50
Mexican, ... 23
Gold Leaf, ... 23
Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22 80 a 22 80
English Sovereigns, ... 4.47
Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.47
Discount, ... 10 a 12
Gas Company Shares, ... 40 nom.
H. & W. Post Dock, Old, ... 10 p. c. dist.
Do. New, ... 10 p. c.
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 36 p. c. p.
Do. New, ... 15
Union Dock ... 30 a 35 p. c. dist. nom.

Temperature.
Hongkong, 17th June, 1869.
(Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises
Queen's Road.)
THERMOMETER—9 A.M., Dry, ... 84
Do. Wet, ... 84
Do. 4 P.M., Dry, ... 88
Do. Wet, ... 82
Self-registered Maximum, ... 84
Do. Minimum, ... 74
BAROMETER—9 A.M., ... 29.924
Do. 4 P.M., ... 29.856

THE CHINA MAIL.
HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1869.

THE CHINESE RECORDER.
The June number of the Chinese Recorder
has reached us, and, like its prede-
cessors, contains many interesting papers.
In its editorial greeting to its subscribers
on the commencement of the second
volume the courtesy and liberality of
sentiment which has hitherto so pecu-
liarly distinguished this publication in
dealing with its secular contemporaries
are fully preserved, and while we in its
own words "are sometimes compelled to
differ" from its utterances, we can con-
scientiously assert that its absence of
dogmatism, though accompanied by an
unspoken and decided expression of
opinion, on religious questions has most
favourably predisposed the secular public
and press to examine its arguments and
give them due weight.

Mr Watters, whose papers on Lao-tze
have attracted favourable attention, has
again commenced a series of articles on
"Buddhism in China" which if carried
out as commenced will prove a most
interesting contribution to the subject.
We subjoin an extract from his first
chapter upon the date of its introduction
which will give the general reader a fair
idea of the style in which it is written.
We omit the Chinese characters for the
sake of brevity.

The history of Buddhism in China pre-
sents attractions no less to the student of
Chinese history than to the student of Bud-
dhism itself. So strange have been its for-
tunes and so varied its career in this
country that, apart from all other considera-
tions, it must be interesting and instructive to
all who think seriously about religion or the
welfare of humanity. Nor can it be said
that this is a subject which has been already
exhausted. * * *

It seems to be impossible now to ac-
certain the precise date of the introduction of
this religion into China. The Chinese
tradition rejects the commonly received op-
inion which assigns it to the reign of
Min Yi (A.D. 68 to 75) of the East Han
Dynasty. The Chinese tradition says that
under the reign of the Emperor

FOR SALE.
A. S. S. "TIGER"
A FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ 47
per bag of 25 lbs.
Apply to
G. DUBOIS & Co.
Hongkong, August 31, 1886.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.
ENGLISH and Anglo-German CON-
CERTINAS, HARMONIUMS,
VIOLINS and VIOLIN STRINGS,
FLUTES, NEW MUSIC, &c. &c.
Pianos tuned and repaired.
C. WAGNER,
Hollywood Road.
Hongkong, March 1, 1886. Mar-70

NOTICE.
M. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that
he is now publishing a Series of 40
Views of Hongkong, price \$25—
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12
20 do. do. 10 by 8
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from
the Diorama Procession.
Hongkong, September 4, 1886.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and
Nails.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, September 15, 1886.

LATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.
"SHERRY" 3
"PORT" 2
"CLARET" 1
Apply to
BILLY & Co.
Hongkong, April 9, 1887.

FOR SALE.
UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and
Nails.
Apply to
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, June 14, 1887.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL, 16 to 28 oz. Muntz
and Vivian.
Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, April 5, 1887.

FOR SALE.
MANILA HARD WOOD.
Consisting of:
MOLAYES,
BAMAS,
ARANGAS,
And other descriptions.
Apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, August 11, 1886.

FOR SALE.
HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's
Road, lately occupied by Messrs
SMITH KENNEY & Co.
For further particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, September 2, 1887.

STREAM COALS.
For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.
ENGLISH—London West Hartley.
WELSH—Blaenau Ffestiog.
Apply to ROE S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 16, 1886.

FOR SALE.
POLYMOSE COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG
HAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of
best quality, and is prepared to supply
Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick
despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the
same under Contract at Hongkong and any
Treaty Port in China.
The Depot drawing supplies from the
best Mines only, intends to provide a super-
ior article, free of the Surface Coal that
has hitherto prejudiced consumers.
MILLSCH & Co.,
Agents.
Kilung, April 2, 1886.

PAYNE AND COMPANY,
BELATRE BUNGALOW,
Calcutta.

ESTABLISHED HALF A CENTURY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT,
FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED
Chutnies and Indian Condiments.

Pinet
Bengal Chutney
Lucknow Chutney
Cashmere Chutney
Pineapple Chutney
Cul-Skinners Chutney
Major Gray's Chutney
Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, 20s
Multitawne Paste, Per hhd. 25s
Curry Paste, Per doz. qts. 30s
Curry Powder, Per doz. pte. 20s
Tamarind Fish, 100
Tamarind Fish, 100
Mango Fish, 100
Smoked Mango Fish, 100
Chili Vinegar, Per bottle 2s
Cayenne Pepper, Per bottle 2s

JAMS AND JELLIES.
Guava Jelly
Tippah Jam
Preserved Limes
Pineapple Jam
Pineapple Jelly
Pineapple
Pickled Limes
Bael Preserve
Bengal Hump
N. B.—Chutnies, Curry Powders, and
Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of
the Globe.

Payne and Co.
Have always on hand a large Stock of
superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes.
Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal-
cutta, to accompany order.
For orders over \$25, 20 per cent discount
will be allowed, all Goods free on board in
Calcutta.

Houses and Lands
TO LET.
THAT very desirable residence at the
"Alhambra," lately occupied by C. D.
Williams, Esq., possession immediate.
Gas and Water laid on. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, June 8, 1886. Jun-22

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
THE PRINTING OFFICE of the Under-
signed has been REMOVED, to the
House No. 1, Hollywood Road, opposite
the "Hotel d'Europe."
NORONHA & SONS.
Hongkong, June 1, 1886. July-1

TO LET.
6 HOUSES in Seymour Terrace No. 2, 6,
9, 10, 11 and 12, each containing 4
rooms with out-houses attached. Water
and Gas laid.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, June 2, 1886.

TO LET.
THREE HOUSES on Peddar's Hill, each
containing Four Rooms, with Out-
houses attached. Water and Gas laid.
Apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co's.
Hongkong, June 1, 1886.

TO LET.
(With immediate possession.)
SEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very
conveniently situated on Marine Lot
No. 63, between Messrs JOHN BURD & Co's
premises and Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON &
Co's Wharf.
For Particulars, apply to
A. McLEOD,
At Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co's.
Hongkong, April 26, 1886.

TO LET.
With Immediate Possession,
TWO Commodious Two-Storey Granite
GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the
Union Dock Company's Timber Yard)
on which property, also, STORAGE can be
had at moderate terms.
For particulars, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1886.

TO LET.
Desirable Granite GODOWN at Wan-
chi, convenient to the Water.
For particulars, apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, April 16, 1886.

TO LET.
NO. 3 Pechili Terrace, with immediate
possession. Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, April 16, 1886.

TO LET.
ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's
Road, well situated.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 23, 1886.

TO LET.
WITH immediate possession. That de-
sirable BUNGALOW, situated at
Pokfulam, and known as "Balmont."
Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

TO LET.
THE Corner HOUSE, No. 13 in Peel
Street, containing five Rooms with
Compartments Room and Godown attached.
Water and Gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs P. & A. C. CAMARIE & Co's
Office, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, January 19, 1886.

TO LET.
A FEW Sets of these desirable CHAM-
bers are now vacant, and can be had
on reasonable terms. Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, February 5, 1886.

TO LET.
WITH immediate possession, the House
and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street,
lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON &
Co.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1886.

TO LET.
A CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE
in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.
Apply to
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Hongkong, October 5, 1886.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sit-
uated on the RISS of THE HILL,
Westward, and an easy distance from the
Queen's Road. Apply to
MR. BARRINGTON,
Wyndham Street.
Hongkong, May 13, 1886.

NOTICE.
TO LET.
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's
Road, lately in the occupation of the
Asiatic Bank.
For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, May 18, 1886.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
THE Undersigned will undertake to land
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive
the same on STORAGE in First-class Gran-
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 4, 1886.

Intimations.
STAG HOTEL.
ASH ACCOUNT from 1st May 1887 to
30th April 1889.
1887.—May, To Sundries, \$1,283.86
June, Do. 1,539.50
July, Do. 1,265.55
August, Do. 1,970.89
Sept., Do. 2,276.88
October, Do. 3,250.06
Nov., Do. 2,422.95
Dec., Do. 2,924.81
1888.—January, Do. 2,956.68
Feb., Do. 3,822.50
March, Do. 2,205.90
April, Do. 2,962.88
May, Do. 2,687.10
June, Do. 2,068.66
July, Do. 2,358.88
August, Do. 2,445.51
Sept., Do. 2,435.13
October, Do. 2,352.23
Nov., Do. 1,769.13
Dec., Do. 2,186.20
1889.—January, Do. 2,404.96
Feb., Do. 1,875.32
March, Do. 3,791.59
April, Do.
TOTAL, \$58,061.64

Cy. June 29th.—By cash paid to
T. Howard, Esq., for arrange-
ing the purchase of "Stag
Hotel" 2 1/2, \$15,500.00 *\$330.00
By cash paid to T. Howard, in-
terest, "Stag Hotel," 2 1/2, 2,156.44
By cash paid for Furniture for
"Stag Hotel," 415.00
By cash paid for Stores for "Stag
Hotel," 8,452.97
30th April, 1889.—By cash paid
for Stores for "Stag Hotel," 377.34
By cash paid to T. Howard, pur-
chase money, *\$5,500.00
By cash paid to Mr. J. B.
Watson, Rent as Agent for Mr. J. B.
Watson, 6,300.00
Total amount paid T. Howard, 23,531.05
By cash paid for Stores, 11,674.69
By cash paid for New Furniture,
fixtures, and boat, &c., 1,039.29
By cash paid for Newspapers and
Advertisements, 538.55
By cash paid for Wages for 23
months, 4,020.68
By cash paid for Gas for 23
months, 1,453.20
By cash paid for Ovals for 20
months, 679.00
By cash paid for Insurance, 220.00
By cash paid to Hongkong Gov-
ernment for Taxes and Li-
cences, 1,591.30
By cash paid for Expenses for
Washing, Chair and Coolie
hire, &c., &c., 1,625.17
By cash paid for Bazaar account, 8,335.45
By cash paid E. R. Holmes, private
account, *\$2,522.87
By cash paid for Sundry Credi-
tors, 1,064.14
Less over charge, 58,146.29
58,65.65
\$58,061.64

Gross Profits.
Amount paid T. Howard for purchasing the
"Stag Hotel," a useful
expenditure and
may be returned,
Interest, *\$2,156.44
Interest paid T. Howard
since 30th April, 830.00 2,986.64
Purchase money, *\$5,500.00
E. R. Holmes, private
account, *\$2,522.87
Assets over liabilities,
30th April, 1889, 3,000.00
24 months say round
figures 600 p month,
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Proprietor from 1st May, 1887, to 1st
May, 1889.

WANTED TO BORROW.
5000 DOLLARS to commence a
business above. A lib-
eral interest and good security will be given.
For full particulars apply by letter to E.
R. Holmes, care of China Mail.
Hongkong, June 12, 1886.

Insurance.
LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant
POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Coals in Matsheeds, on Goods on board
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.
For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or for any other information apply to
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Agents Hongkong & Canton,
Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
LONDON.
Incorporated 1859.
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company are pre-
pared to accept Marine Risks and issue
Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 6, 1887.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents in Hongkong for the above
Company, are prepared to grant Marine
Risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1886.

Insurance.
LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following
Rates will be charged on short period
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding three months, 2/3 " " "
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.
ARNHOLD KARBBERG & Co.
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 14, 1886.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE
COMPANY.
ESTABLISHED 1838.
CAPITAL, £500,000.
Managing Agents in China, — Messrs.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong,
Medical Referee, — J. IVOR MURRAY,
Esq., M.D.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Managing Agents for the above Com-
pany are prepared to accept risks and issue
Policies on Life Assurances.
For further particulars, forms of propo-
sals, &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Managing Agents in China.
Hongkong, June, 1887.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE
INSURANCE COMPANIES.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents of the above Companies at this
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against
Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings,
or on Goods stored therein.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, September 28, 1885.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.
THE Undersigned, having been appointed
AGENTS for the above Company at
the Ports of Tientsin and Kiangsu, are pre-
pared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-
ANCE at current rates.
DODD & Co.
Tientsin, 10th August, 1886.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company at this
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against
Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,
or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, August 24, 1884.

NOTICE.
IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.
FROM and after this date the following
Rates will be charged for Short Period
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 2/3 do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
UNTIL further notice the following An-
nual Rates will be charged for Fire
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding three months, 2/3 " " "
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY
AND
FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS
INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Companies are
prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 26, 1886.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
DETACHED and semi-detached
Dwelling-Houses removed
from Town, and their Con-
tents, 1/2 per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., 1/2 per cent.
and their Contents, 1 per cent.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile
Insurance Company,
Hongkong, March 9, 1886.

NOTICE.
NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.
FROM and after this date the following
Rates will be charged in Short Period
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding 3 months, 2/3 " " "
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding 6 months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile
Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

Insurance.
NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
CAPITAL £2,000,000
ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,333,927.
ANNUAL REVENUE £297,263.
THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong
for the above Company are prepared
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on
Merchandise in the same.
GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1884.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER
AND LONDON.
THE Undersigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
Insurances at current rates.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1888.

NOTICE.
MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in
future for short period Insurances,
viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 per cent.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding 3 months, 2/3 do.
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong, April 8, 1886.

LONDON
ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE Undersigned are authorized to issue
Life Policies for sums not exceeding
£5,000.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1888.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE
CORPORATION.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents of the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-
ance on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, December 26, 1887.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-
RATION.
THE following rates will in future be
charged for Short Period Insurances:
One month, 1/2 per cent.
Three months, 2/3 " " "
Six months, 3/4 " " "
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY.
NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following
rates will be charged for Short Period
Insurances, viz:—
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding three months, 2/3 " " "
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding six months, 3/4 " " "
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE
COMPANY.
CAPITAL—TWO MILLION STERLING.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company at this
port, are prepared to grant Policies against
Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings
or on Goods stored therein.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
Hongkong, May 20, 1886.

NOTICE.
BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIMITED.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Insurance Com-
pany are prepared to grant Policies cover-
ing Marine risks at the current Rates.
Policies can be made payable at all the
principal ports throughout the World.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, November 7, 1887.

NOTICE.
THEQUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in
future for short period Insurances,
viz:—
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate.
Above 1 month and not ex-
ceeding 3 months, 2/3 do.
Above 3 months and not ex-
ceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents the Queen Insurance Company,
Hongkong, May 20, 1886.

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Insurance Com-
pany are prepared to grant Policies cover-
ing Marine Risks at the current Rates.
RAYNAL & Co.
Macao, August 4, 1886.

Insurance.
AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above INSURANCE
OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine
Risks, and issue Policies on any first class
Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual
terms, payable in case of loss, in China,
SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, June 21, 1886.

NOTICE.
ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE following Rates will be charged in
future for short period Insurances,
viz:—
Not exceeding One
Month, 1/2 per cent.
Above One Month
and not exceeding
Three Months, 2/3 per cent.
Above Three Months
and not exceeding
Six Months, 3/4 per cent.
Above Six Months, The full Annual Rate
of 1 per cent.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company,
Hongkong, April 7, 1886.

NOTICE.
HE Undersigned having received exten-
ded limits from THE ROYAL INSURANCE
COMPANY, are now authorized to
issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz:—
On any one first-class Building, or on
Goods stored therein—in Hongkong,
£60,000; in Macao \$45,000.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.
Hongkong, July 17, 1884.

REDUCTION
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR
FIRE INSURANCE.

HE Undersigned have (as already inti-
mated in their Circular dated 14th Oc-
tober, 1885) received authority from the
Directors of the ROYAL INSURANCE
COMPANY, to Reduce the rate of Premium
under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE
RESIDENCES and on Furniture and Er-
rects, therein contained.
In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed
from the Town, the rate of Premium will
be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One
per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged;
and in cases of Residences, so situated, be-
ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will
be further reduced to One-half per Cent.
The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE In-
surance on the various classes of Buildings
and their contents will therefore remain as
follows, until further notice, viz:—
Detached and semi-detached
Dwelling-Houses (removed
from the Town) and their
Contents, 1/2 per cent.
Other Dwelling-Houses (semi-
detached) and their
Contents, 3/4 per cent.
First Class China Houses and
their Contents, 1 1/2 per cent.
Other Risks as per special arrangement.
ROE S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company,
Hongkong, November 9, 1886.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF
SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above
Company are prepared to grant Poli-
cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and
GOODS, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
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Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.O., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
1898-99.							
STEAMERS							
Alexander	W. Kidd	Brit. str.	1049	June 16	Birley & Co	Shanghai	
Catalina	W. Easdale	Span. str.	731	April 18	Landstein & Co		
Catherine Apoc	W. Swanson	Brit. str.	731	May 15	Gibb, Livingston & Co	S'pore & B'bay	To-day 5 p.m.
Columbian	W. Hyde	Brit. str.	1480	June 16	P. & O. S. N. Co	Bombay, &c.	
Dupleix	W. Noel	Fch. str.	900	June 16	Messageries Imperiales	Yokohama	
Flying Soud	W. Fullam	Brit. str.	103	June 16	Gilman & Co	Shanghai	
Ganges	W. Cates	Brit. str.	1190	June 15	P. & O. S. N. Co	Y'ma & S. F. C. S. Co	19th, 3 p.m.
Japan	W. Freeman	Amor. str.	4100	June 12	Douglas Lapraik & Co	East Coast	To-day 2 p.m.
Kwang Tung	W. Cates	Brit. str.	495	June 20	Messageries Imperiales	Calcutta, &c.	19th, noon
Labourdonnaie	W. Rapatel	Fch. str.	910	May 20	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Amoy & Shanghai	To-day 4 p.m.
Lightning	W. Rodgers	Brit. str.	672	June 11	P. & O. S. N. Co	Shanghai	To-day noon
Madras	W. Davis	Brit. str.	1182	June 8	P. & O. S. N. Co	Yokohama	To-day 11 a.m.
Malacca	W. Bernard	Brit. str.	1800	June 2	Seymour, Vivian & Co	Shanghai	To-day noon
Nada	W. Cates	Brit. str.	716	June 2	P. & O. S. N. Co	Saigon, Suez, &c.	To-day noon
Norma	W. Macnamara	Brit. str.	630	June 2	Messageries Imperiales	Shanghai	
Phase	W. Cates	Fch. str.	740	May 27	Messageries Imperiales	Shanghai	
Tigre	W. Rousseau	Fch. str.	1700	May 27	Messageries Imperiales	Shanghai	
Titania	W. Cates	Brit. str.	805	January 21	Augustine Heard & Co	Shanghai	
United Service	E. Tough	Brit. str.	650	June 9	Wm. Pustau & Co	Shanghai	
Vencedora	W. Cervantes	Span. str.	671	June 14	Spanish Consul	Shanghai	
Venus	W. Hamilton	Amer. str.	671	June 14	Augustine Heard & Co	Shanghai	
Yung-lai-an	K. Morison	Russ. str.	447	October 18	Landstein & Co	Shanghai	
SAILING VESSELS							
Aguila	W. Santos	Port. sch.	350	June 7	J. J. Remedios & Co	San Francisco	Early
Akbar	W. Crocker	Amer. sh.	905	May 27	Augustine Heard & Co	Portland	Early
Alice	W. Schink	N. Ger. sch.	200	May 31	Order		
Andrews	W. Peters	N. Ger. bk.	388	June 13	Russell & Co		
Assens	K. Jensen	Dan. sch.	300	June 11	John Bird & Co		
Assonich	W. Berri	Span. bk.	270	Feb. 19	Order		
Aythire	W. Guimbartau	Brit. bk.	280	May 27	Borneo Company		
Calabar	W. Taylor	Brit. bk.	687	June 17	Sheraf & Co	Manila	To-day
Candelaria	W. Taylor	Brit. bk.	467	June 17	Remedios & Co		
Carlin	W. Taylor	Brit. bk.	947	May 20	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Ceres	K. Schwartz	N. Ger. bk.	430	June 9	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Chieftrain	W. Bischoff	Brit. bk.	389	June 16	Augustine Heard & Co		
Cluana	W. Roy	Brit. sh.	819	June 10	Holliday, Wise & Co		
Cleopatra	W. Drusovitch	Aust. sh.	890	June 9	Melchers & Co		
Colima	W. Bährfeld	N. Ger. bk.	225	June 12	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Columbus	K. Croot	Brit. sh.	744	June 7	Arnold, Karberg & Co		
Constance	K. Schroot	Dut. bk.	350	May 25	Russell & Co		
Constantia	W. Abano	Span. bg.	184	January 30	Remedios & Co		
Crimes	W. Barrow	Brit. sh.	478	June 13	Chinese		
Cutty Sark	W. Meyer	Siam. bk.	474	June 5	Chinese		
Deerhound	W. Carlin	Brit. bk.	673	June 10	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Dryden	W. McMillan	N. Ger. bk.	424	June 11	Gilman & Co		
Edouard Marie	K. Van der Tas	Dut. bk.	398	June 13	Wm. Pustau & Co	San Francisco	Early
Eduard	W. Schat	N. Ger. bk.	800	May 5	Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
Elcano	W. Brown	Amer. sh.	1312	June 7	Russell & Co		
Elise	K. Thuren	N. Ger. bg.	204	June 10	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Elizabeth Cushing	W. Colly	Amer. sh.	988	May 31	Order		
Ellen	W. Windsor	Brit. sh.	631	Dec. 20	Olyphant & Co		
Ellen Morris	K. Sellick	Brit. bg.	194	June 10	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Ellen Rickmers	K. Rehm	N. Ger. bk.	308	June 10	Melchers & Co		
Ellis	K. Bagberg	Norw. bk.	218	June 9	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Elvira	K. Allard	N. Ger. bk.	345	June 12	E. Schellhaas & Co		
Ernie	K. Oruti	B. Ayres bk.	490	June 14	Siemssen & Co		
Ernst & Marie	W. Gernerich	N. Ger. bk.	365	June 14	Morgan, Lambert & Co		
Falke	W. Gottehe	N. Ger. bk.	280	June 11	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Fortune	W. Luback	Siam. bk.	447	June 10	Chinese		
Frederic	W. Nicaise	Belg. sh.	803	January 6	Borneo Company		
Gateshead	W. Lamb	Brit. bk.	505	June 14	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Gipsy	W. Siemssen	Brit. bk.	259	June 13	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Gravina	W. Barolo	Span. bg.	246	June 3	Remedios & Co		
Handy	W. Hansen	Siam. bk.	632	June 12	Chinese		
Hermann Doctor	K. Grave	N. Ger. sh.	589	June 11	Siemssen & Co		
Hermine	W. Plambeck	N. Ger. bk.	398	June 4	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
H. Upmann	W. Swartz	N. G. bk.	398	May 26	Carlowitz & Co		
Java	K. Macbell	N. Ger. bk.	309	June 10	Arnold, Karberg & Co		
Jeane Alice	E. Moutier	Fch. sh.	1100	May 2	Bozman & Co		
John & Pauline	W. Maderes	N. Ger. bk.	290	May 30	Bull, Fardon & Co		
Katarina Maria	W. Brandt	Dut. bk.	340	June 6	Siemssen & Co		
Lau Tong	E. Hauson	Brit. bk.	353	May 19	Wahes, Smith & Co	Manila	
Louisa	K. Hauson	Dan. bk.	227	June 11	Captain	Foochow	
Magdalena	K. Poyson	N. Ger. bk.	400	June 12	Siemssen & Co		
Maitland	W. Coulson	Brit. sh.	788	June 10	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Malay	W. Clough	Amer. sh.	812	May 18	Augustine Heard & Co	San Francisco	To-day
Martha Miles	W. Brandt	N. Ger. bk.	208	April 26	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Newchwang	Early
Maria	K. Sorensen	N. Ger. bk.	333	May 19	E. Schellhaas & Co	San Francisco	
Mary	E. Townsend	Brit. sh.	1140	May 23	Russell & Co		
Matador	W. Kalkloser	N. Ger. bk.	302	June 10	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Melissa	E. Wiese	N. Ger. bk.	545	June 10	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Meridian	W. Zutterlund	Siam. sch.	294	June 7	Chinese		
Minerva	W. Diaz	Span. bk.	273	June 11	Remedios & Co		
National Eagle	E. Nickerson	Amer. sh.	1005	Feb. 7	Augustine Heard & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Navarino	E. Fadden	Brit. bk.	407	June 14	Landstein & Co		
New York	W. Mounnich	Brit. bk.	538	June 16	Chinese		
Nova	W. Stenrat	Russ. sch.	93	May 9	Augustine Heard & Co		
Norma	K. Pohl	N. Ger. bk.	332	June 10	Siemssen & Co		
Nuuanu	K. Hager	Hawa. sch.	150	June 10	Melchers & Co		
Oriente	W. Halenbeck	N. Ger. bk.	285	June 14	E. Schellhaas & Co		
Parades	K. Popp	N. Ger. bk.	360	June 9	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Parejero	W. King	Brit. bk.	462	June 11	R. S. Walker & Co		
Peter Rickmers	K. Meyer	N. Ger. bk.	600	June 11	Melchers & Co		
Prosperity	W. Salje	Siam. sh.	604	June 14	Chinese		
Saint Russell	W. Lucas	Amer. sh.	732	June 10	Smith, Archer & Co	Manila	
Santa Ana	W. Gavito	Span. bk.	402	May 15	Remedios & Co		
Seawall	W. Thompson	Brit. sh.	825	June 7	Birley & Co		
Senator	W. Thule	Siam. bk.	382	June 12	Chinese		
Sing Lee	W. Randall	Siam. bk.	338	June 14	Chinese		
Sophie Helene	K. Petelike	N. Ger. bk.	330	June 10	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
St. George	K. Schulte	N. Ger. bk.	320	June 11	Melchers & Co		
St. Germaine	W. Petersen	Siam. bk.	318	June 11	Chinese		
Sword Fish	W. Muller	Fch. sh.	330	June 11	Landstein & Co		
Thetis	E. Veltmanus	N. Ger. bg.	241	June 10	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Union	W. Birkinshaw	Brit. bk.	381	May 7	Rozario & Co	Melb. & Sydney	Early

WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Bolted Will	Locke	Brit. sh.	812	May 30	Douglas Lapraik & Co	London	
Douglas Castle	Millichipie	Brit. sh.	679	June 10	Gilman & Co	London	
Gazelle	Green	N. Ger. bg.	193	June 5	Carlowitz & Co	Tientsin	
Odessa	Baizen	Dan. sch.	241	June 6	John Bird & Co	Tientsin	
Rayna	Barredo	Span. str.	200	April 21	Remedios & Co	East Coast	
Ypsos	Ashton	Brit. str.	580	June 14	Douglas Lapraik & Co		

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag and Rig.	Consignee.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS.			
EAST COAST	Kwang Tung	Brit. str.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
SHANGHAI	U. Service	Brit. str.	Wm. Pustau & Co
TIENTSIN	Gazelle*	N. Ger. bg.	Carlowitz & Co
Do.	Odessa*	Dan. sch.	John Bird & Co
YOKOHAMA	Ellen Morris	Brit. bg.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
NEWCHOWANG	Norma	Brit. str.	P. & O. S. N. Co
OTHER PORTS.	Marie	N. Ger. bk.	E. Schellhaas & Co
YOKOHAMA & S. F. C. S. CO.	Japan	Amer. str.	P. M. S. S. Co
LONDON	Bolted Will*	Brit. sh.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
Do.	D. Castle*	Brit. sh.	Gilman & Co
SAN FRANCISCO	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Malay	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Edward	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co
Do.	Mary	Brit. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	Akbar	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Eleana	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Union	Brit. sh.	Rosario & Co
SYDNEY	Constance	Brit. sh.	Russell & Co
PORTLAND	Andreas	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co
CALCUTTA, &c.	Lightning	Brit. str.	Gibb, Livingston & Co
SAIGON	Maria Miles	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
MANILA	Carin	Brit. sh.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Santa Ana	Span. bk.	Remedios & Co
Do.	Lau Tong	Brit. bk.	Wahes, Smith & Co

* At Whampoa.

* At Canton.

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Commander.
Argus	British	steam sloop	6300	Hallowes
Bouguer	British	gun boat	230	60 Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Bustard	British	gun boat	232	60 C. F. W. Johnson
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230	Attached to Melville
Janus	British	gun boat	230	40 In ordinary.
Mecanee	British	Military h'pital	2591	Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital		R. Pottinger, Dep. Insp. Gl.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2448	Oliver J. Jones, Commodore
Unadilla	U. States	gun boat	500	A. R. Yates

CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Commander.
An-Jan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Godall
Ching-to	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Edwards
Ching-lai	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Bessard
Pai-long	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Deine
Spy	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Francis
Sui-tang	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Reinter
Tien-po	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Stewart

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	380	Carrol	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kin Shan	Do.	466	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kiu Kiang	Do.	617	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	69	Benning	Acheong
Poyang	Do.	379	Thebaud	Union Dock Company's Tug
Prince Albert	Do.	180	Q. Acheong	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Sir J. J. Seejebloy	Do.	101	Q. Acheong	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.	101	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	280	Graves	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug

RECEIVING SHIPS & HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Mason	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Fort William	British	ship	283	Purchase	P. & O. S. N. Co
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennis Daly	Water Police
Kim Joo Hong	"	"	288	"	"

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